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Applicants respectfully request a report on the status of the above-identified patent application. A Petition to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment (37 CFR 1.181) was filed on May 30, 2006, and, to date, no action has been received. Accordingly, it would be appreciated if the Examiner would inform the undersigned if an action may be expected soon and, if so, the approximate date.

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